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Western Queen Flour is guaranteed to be as good as any flour sold on the market.

In the last six weeks we have sold about 1200 sacks under this guarantee, and have never heard one complaint.

Following are some of our prices:
Western Queen Flour, \$3.40. Middlings, per cwt., \$1.60
8 lb. rolled oats — 35. Shorts, cwt. — 1.50
10 lb. corn meal — 40. Bran, cwt. — 1.20
Hay — \$11.00 to \$15.00 per ton

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There's a Butcher in town

Patronize him. He is there to please you and satisfy your needs in the meat line. The more of your trade he gets, the better able is he to give you the choicest meats at right prices. That is what you want. Patronize your butcher.

The Pioneer Meat Market
A. D. THOMPSON Proprietor

POLICE FORCE TO BE DOUBLED

The R.N.W.M.P., of this district now make regular visits to the C.N.R. grade camps, which are coming further west and are north of Bowell. On their first trip through the camps, they were very much surprised to find that at least three fourths of the men employed were either of Austrian or German blood. However, most of them have been naturalized either in Canada or the States. Those who have not, are being separated from their firearms in accordance with general directions. On account of the extra work entailed in policing the camps, two more "mounties" are being stationed at Suffield which doubles that detachment.

Aged Lady Injured

Last Saturday afternoon, Frank Quantz, his mother Mrs. Lucy Quantz and his two children, who reside on the Joseph Clark farm west of Carlsbad, drove over to their neighbors, Kenneth McKenna on a little matter of business.

Arriving at McKenna's and driving into the yard, the horse was suddenly frightened by a dog which came running out and barking at one of the team, a colt. They plunged forward. At the same time Mr. Quantz pulled in the reins sharply, which, with the plunge of the horse broke both reins. The horse swerved, broke the tongue, tipped over the democrat and threw the occupants out. Mrs. Quantz was dragged a little way and then the democrat wheels passed over her head, mangle one side of her head and face fearfully. The other occupants escaped with hardly a scratch.

Mrs. Quantz was cared for as well as possible at once and Dr. McEwen was called. He found it necessary to take several stitches, one ear being badly lacerated. For a time it was feared that there had been a concussion of the brain, but such has proven not to be the case.

The next day Mrs. Quantz was removed to her own home, where every attention is being given her. Recovery will be slow, but with prolonged care it is hoped that she may be restored to health.

Mrs. F. J. Bean and daughters, Mary and Madeline, were in Medicine Hat Monday with their friend Mrs. W. A. Moore.

Jack Decker returned Saturday from Moose Jaw, where he has been since early this summer.

Yesterday, the wrecking train from Medicine Hat was called to Monogram, a siding west of Carlsbad, where a freight had met with a mishap. The journal on one of the box cars had broken, derailing a part of the train.

P. M. Farrer and Bert Auberg are putting a big engine plow in outfit through its paces, working Mr. Farrer's land.

THE CARLSTADT HOME GUARDS ARE DRILLING

First Town in Canada To Take Step — Roll Includes Nearly Every Man in Town — One Drill Held.

"First in War, first in Peace." The first town in the Dominion of Canada to organize a Home Guard including practically every adult male resident, is Carlsbad.

At a meeting held last Thursday evening in the Adams hall, the arrangement was decided upon. C. H. Wagner, who had called the meeting, occupied the chair, and made the suggestion. The Empire of which Canada is proud to be a part, is engaged in a titanic struggle for Right and Justice. The issue might be settled speedily or might drag out for months; it might include the whole world in a battle field. The enemy, through compulsory service, are all trained soldiers. Obviously then, the duty, in such a time, to be prepared for whatever may come. We have given of our money, let us now give of our time so that no emergency should find us sleeping.

The suggestion met with a hearty reception, and the following were appointed as an acting committee: John Coffin, W. G. Scollard, Frank Shier, H. B. Agham, C. H. Hughes, and Geo. Thompson, all these gentlemen having had military experience, while some saw active service (in the Spanish-American war). C. H. Wagner also is a member of the committee ex-officio. An effort will be made to acquire government rifles, but in the meantime, there will be plenty of drilling, as most of us have to think twice to distinguish the right foot from the left. The committee elected A. C. Hughes to have charge of the squad for the present.

The first drill was held Tuesday evening, when a full muster turned out for an hour's training. Dr. McEwen kindly allowed the use of his hall for this, as well as for the other meetings.

Drills are to be held every Tuesday evening at 8.30 o'clock. Carlsbad's patriotism and progressiveness in forming a Home Guard has been the subject of stirring editorials in various city papers during the few days. The Medicine Hat News puts it, "Carlsbad has set an example for the towns of the whole Dominion." So far as we know, credit belongs here as the first town in all Canada where practically every male person is in military training, preparing for home defense, or ready to bear arms for the Motherland, should the necessity arise.

THE SOCIAL WHIRL

A number of the ladies of Carlsbad gave a Halloween dancing party Friday evening, which proved a very enjoyable affair. Most of the ladies were masked as gnomes, with sheets and pillowcases, topped off with about three feet of pointed hat and with just a dim light in the hall, a very witching effect was had. Fortunes were told by a goblin, adding to the merriment of the evening. There also was a burst of laughter when the masks were removed and some of the graceful ghostesses proved to be gentlemen! At midnight a delectable luncheon was served.

A stag party was given by C. H. Wagner Wednesday evening. The ladies of Carlsbad are having a meeting this afternoon to discuss forming a social club.

The Masquerade Dance given by the Ladies' Auxiliary of Suffield, on October 26th, was a great success. A good time was enjoyed by all. Excellent music was rendered by the Brooks orchestra. After paying all expenses the sum of \$17.00 was turned over to the Canadian Patriotic Fund.

Mesdames S. G. McNab, C. H. Wagner, A. J. Thieriot, W. G. Scollard and E. C. Hegy, "did" Medicine Hat yesterday. The moving picture theatres report a rushing business.

No one in Carlsbad Saturday night had occasion to forget that it was Halloween. The younger generation was abroad with tick-tacks and other instruments of annoyance; a levy of shovels made the rounds of the burg; and later, a whole squadron of hobgoblins did their worst.

MISCELLANEOUS ADS

POTATOES—For sale, \$1.00 per bushel if taken soon. Also pure bred barred rock cockerels and hens. Ed. Edmunds. 11

ESTRAY—3 year old black colt 3 white legs, tall and main untrimmed, white face. Halter with rope attached. \$10 reward will be paid by Cpl. Thompson, R.N.W.M.P.

WANTED—Second hand heater. Apply News Office.

ESTRAY—Dark lay gelding about 2 year old wt 1200 black brand \$5 for information leading to recovery. Hans Hanson, Carlsbad 20-17-S. 49

LOST—Near Bell's ranch. Two oxen, wt 1800 lbs each, one all black no horns, halter and strap. Other black, white face, branded 28 on left hip, with brass ring in nose, no horns. Reward paid for information. M.C. Peters, Carlsbad 20-17-S. 49

ESTRAY—Bay Gelding. Branded on left shoulder & white strip in face, white hind legs. About 8 years old. Came to my place halter on. Information leading to recovery. Sec 27-15-12. 47

REWARD—Lost, 3 miles south of Jenner, gray gelding wt about 850 lbs, Branded P on left hip. 3 white hoofs, 1 black. Had a halter on. Information please forward to Box 96, Suffield. 46
Seven weeks until Christmas.

WE LEAD— Others Try To Follow

We Offer this Week:

Kato Corn Meal, 5 lb. can.	20c
" " 10 lb. can.	40c
Kipped Herring, per box	30c
Cape Cod Cranberries, per lb.	35c
Oranges, per dozen	35c
Choice Winter Apples, per box	\$1.75
Ginger Snaps, 2 lbs. for.	25c
Onions, Choice, New Stock, 6 lbs.	25c
Another Shipment of our High Grade Coffee, at per lb.	35c
" " or 3 lbs. for.	\$1.00
Holland Herring, new pack at the old price, per kg.	\$1.00
Brilliant, Strawberry, Apricot, etc., per 2 lb.	35c
Jams—Red X 5 lb. can.	40c

We Stock a Big Variety of Jams, and Sell for less

Big Variety of Men's Underclothing, Men's Overalls, Men's Overalls, all sizes

No advance in Our prices.

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Irrigation makes the farmer independent of rainfall and insures good crops, not occasionally, but every year.

Irrigation makes possible the successful culture of alfalfa, the king of fodders, which insures best returns in dairying and mixed farming.

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You can buy irrigated land from the Canadian Pacific Railway at prices ranging from \$35 to \$75 per acre, with twenty years to pay and the privilege of a loan of \$2,000.00 for improvements (if interest), no principal payment at the end of first and second years and no water rental for first year. Assistance is also given in supplying stock in approved instances.

This is the most liberal offer of irrigated farm land on record

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war on the cold weather and ask you help us keep the enemy at bay by getting your next coal from **FINLAY and COMPANY**. We now have lots on hand. All kinds of Lumber and Firewood.

C. H. WAGNER, Manager, Carlsbad.

Hard Times Song

Entitled: "ON THE TRAIL OF THE LONESOME DIME."

In the dried up prairies of Alberta
On the trail of the lonesome dime,
Come a few poor old farmers
To get de BIG FEED on time.
In June--The hot winds did blow,
And the farmers lost their dough;
In the dried up prairies of Alberta,
On the trail of the lonesome dime.

P.S. We will accept Relief Orders for de BIG FEED.

TO THE PUBLIC

Anyone who contemplates putting up buildings or doing any repair work will find it to their interest to look over our stock and get our prices. We are in a position to supply you with everything along the line of building material at reasonable prices.

Have just received a car of fine split cedar posts, you will need some to keep stray cattle from eating what grass and hay you have on hand. Don't wait until too late.

We have put in our winters supply of Galt coal and it is an exceptionally fine lot.

Atlas Lumber Company
E. H. SMITH Manager

Special Snaps in Each Department

--it will pay you, as it has hundreds of other people, to buy your fall supplies here.

--our Groceries are always fresh, and grade No. 1

Blue Ribbon Tea 45c per pound.
Salada Tea 40c and 50c per pound.
Spider Legs Green Tea, 45c per pound.
Evaporated apples, prunes and peaches 2 lb for 25c.
Condensed milk, 2 cans for 25c, 9 for 81.
Raspberry jam 4 lb tins, 80c.
Strawberry jam, 4 lb tins, 85c.
Syrup, 5 lbs 45c, 10 lbs 85c.
Salmon, 2 cans for 25c.
Salmon, 1st grade, 25c per can.
Brown beans, 4 lb for 25c, 16 for 81.
Navy beans 3lb for 25c, 18lb for 81.
Lard, 3lbs for 55c, 5lb 85c, 10lb \$1.05, 20lb, \$3.25
Ontario cheese 25c per pound
Apples, \$1.90 per box.
Sugar, 20lb \$1.85, 40 cwt while present prices prevail.
Get our prices on canned goods. We can save you money.

--get your relief orders filled where a full stock is carried.

F. J. BEAN

Cash for your Farm

Clients in the east desire good farm lands, patented for which they will pay Cash. Soil must be good and proposition must be a bargain. Give location and description of land, together with lowest cash price. Address,

Box 1045, Medicine Hat, Alta.

The Carlstadt News

Carlstadt, Alberta.
HERBERT S. KETCHUM, Proprietor.

CITY AND COUNTRY

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist church will be entertained by Messrs. E. H. Smith and H. B. Briggs at the Smith home on Wednesday afternoon, November 11th.

Mrs. John Dixon spent the weekend at home here, a brief rest from caring for her sick mother, in Medicine Hat. Returning Monday evening she was accompanied by Mr. Dixon.

I. H. C. collector Budenbaum was a passenger to Medicine Hat Monday evening. His friend McKee informed us that "Bud" was going there to be married but--well we leave our doubts.

Miss Minnie Koopman, of Tule Lake, went to Medicine Hat Wednesday morning for a visit with friends.

E. A. Osborne has been busy hauling his crop of flax to town.

Miss Florence Stuart is recovering from a week's illness.

Miss Dyvig, who was very ill with typhoid, is now improving rapidly and is out of the doctor's care.

Mrs. Orton Fonghty continues to recuperate from an attack of scarlet fever.

A farmer near Suffield was last week brought to trial on a charge of selling seed grain which had been provided him by the Dominion government. In explanation of his action, the farmer stated that he had not been able to break enough land to use the seed and that he was unaware that he was doing a criminal offence in selling the seed. He was allowed to go on a suspended sentence on payment of the court costs.

With the intention of opening a laundry, a progressive Celestial last week spent several days here. Finding that Chinks were about as welcome here as the Kaiser would be in London, he changed his mind and left.

F. L. Brown was in Medicine Hat Monday evening.

Roy May, of Windthorst, Saskatchewan, spent Wednesday here attending to business of the former firm of Delong & May. As yet, they have secured no insurance on their store burned last August, and at the most, will get only a part of the amount carried. Mr. and Mrs. Delong were in Calgary last week endeavoring to hasten the company's movements, but have returned to Windthorst.

Mrs. George Russell and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hamilton.

Applications are now being accepted by A. J. Drummond for government seed grain for next spring.

Rev. Sjovangen has moved his household goods to Molhali, N. D., and went there last week. J. E. Goddard shipped a carload of hogs and a carload of cattle from this point last Friday. They were accompanied by C. H. Woolven.

Cornelius Monaghan, of Tripola, was in town Monday and took out a large load of lumber for pig sheds.

Pete Severson, left Monday for Great Falls, Montana.

This week at Medicine Hat, before the Supreme Court, will occur the trial of Pete Czakanski, the Tule Lake Austrian, who is charged with killing a neighbor's pig.

Thos. Shipley was down from Carstairs last week.

E. Brown former proprietor of the American hotel, was in town a couple of days this week.

The C. P. R. section men have been laid off.

As we go to press what looks like a 72 hour snow storm is starting.

A. J. Drummond is keeping his headquarters here. Mrs. Drummond has gone for a couple of weeks visit with his family at Champlain.

Kerstien Slavik has returned from the States to his home at Blue Grass.

R. Modahl, who has spent the summer at Fernie, B.C., has returned to his land here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. McNab have as a guest, John Montgomery, of Vancouver.

The Western Home Monthly, regular price \$1 per year--with the Carlstadt News, \$1 per year--both of these for one year for \$1.50, with two war maps, "The 1914 War Illustrated" free. See the ad. on page 8. The offer is open to new subscribers or renewals.

A Halloween party was enjoyed by the Carlstadt school children last Friday afternoon. Games were played and a good time generally was had by the youngsters. Later in the afternoon there was a treat of apples, candy and nuts.

The members of the U. F. A. are hereby notified that the Flour and Feed will be sold on Friday and Saturday of each week.

C. O. Olsen, Agent.

We would again urge our subscribers who are over due to pay up at once. Carlstadt News.

So far, Suffield has raised over \$300 for the Patriotic and Red Cross funds. Well done, Suffield!

M. C. Peters, north of town, spent Wednesday riding over the country near Bell's ranch on the Saskatchewan river, but was unable to locate a couple of oxen which disappeared during the heavy snow storm.

H. D. MacRitchie and family who have been in Medicine Hat for some time, have returned to the east.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Delong passed through here Friday night en route to their home in Saskatchewan after a trip to the coast.

New subscribers to the Carlstadt News, starting with this issue are: C. H. Woolven, Calgary; J. E. Decker, Carlstadt; Cornelius Monaghan, Tripola.

Renewals: A. Truman, Tripola; J. Butler, Carlstadt.

The "W. A." met at the residence of Mrs. Owen J. Wood yesterday afternoon, when the members continued their work for the elders and also for the coming Christmas bazaar. It was decided to hold the Annual Meeting for the officers and general business next Wednesday, Nov. 9, at Mrs. Cotter's at 3 p.m. A full attendance is requested. All work for the Red Cross should be brought to this meeting.

Effective Nov. 9, train 511 running between Medicine Hat and Lethbridge will leave Medicine Hat on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Leaving Lethbridge for Medicine Hat on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. The service between Lethbridge and Calgary will continue to run daily except Sundays. It is rumored that Soo trains No. 13 and 14 will be operated between St. Paul and San Francisco beginning January 1st 1915. These will be through trains for accommodation of Fair visitors. They will pass through Canada and down the coast and will consist of through sleepers and making no local stops in Canada.

Mrs. C. H. Wagner is visiting in Medicine Hat a few days.

Miss Pearl Pransford, of Medicine Hat is visiting at the N. E. Stuart home.

There are no melancholy days if we keep in tune with the light and interesting things of life. The secret lies in being alive to what is going on about us. Don't miss the things that are worth while. This bit of philosophy applies to our advertisements. Don't let them go by unobserved. They may be the means of adding to the sum total of your happiness.

BRUTUS BLARNEY

George Senastad was a Carlstadt visitor Friday.

W. Boyd was hauling coal from this district. He claims to be able to dig and sack one acre per day. Yes, and then he will wake up and find that it was just a dream.

Ben Berryman was assisting S. Boyd harvest a fine crop of Irish apples last week.

Ralph Jones made a trip to town Saturday for coal.

Wesley McEwen spent several days last week improving his farm by fencing his pre-emption. Although Wesley is a very industrious young man, he seems to be unable to get a partner to take charge of his cook stove.

Marshall Ballard spent Sunday on his homestead for the first time in several years. Marshall holds the record for digging potatoes in this district. He claims to be able to dig and sack one acre per day. Yes, and then he will wake up and find that it was just a dream.

E. Potter, of Tripola spent Sunday with Fred Whitehead.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Burkhardt visited Mr. and Mrs. H. Maynard on Sunday.

As there are only two children in district, the trustees have decided to close the school for the rest of the year.

It is officially reported that the Germans have captured Tripola.

Send one dollar now for the Brutus Blarney for one year and you will get the Carlstadt News for one year free of charge. You can't beat this stupendous offer. If you have not got the dollar get your neighbor to take advantage of this good offer and then you can read his paper and enjoy all the local news free of charge.

The Old Reliable Pioneer Store

Specials for Saturday Only:

20 pounds B. C. Sugar	\$1.80
Dried peaches, per lb.10
Cooking or eating apples, 4 lb.25
Good carrots, 6 lb for	!
Beets, 6 lb.25

F. C. Woollven

COAL! COAL!

NOW is the time to lay in your winter's supply of coal. We handle all kinds of soft and hard coal. Prices are cheaper if you buy

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Dr. S. F. McEwen

Proprietor

Prairie Pride FLOUR

Five Roses FLOUR

Harvest Queen FLOUR

Big Loaf FLOUR

4 X FLOUR

And, I still have the Best in Hog Feed. Call in and see it and get prices.

W. J. HALL

Carlstadt Barber Shop

For a clean shave, shampoo or massage, or a neat hair trim, call on us.

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